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LIBEL IS PROVED
IN EVERY COURTVerdict in Case of King vs. Carruthers
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FINE OF \$100 OR SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT.
 KENTVILLE, N. S., Oct. 15.—To pay a fine of \$100 or in default to serve six months imprisonment with seven days in jail, to which the fine was the verdict handed down by Judge Drysdale upon W. M. Carruthers in the celebrated case of King vs. Carruthers, arising out of the distribution of copies of the "Expositor" containing libellous statements regarding Sir Frederick Borden. The court was adjourned until the morning when sentence was pronounced. The judge said that there were behind Carruthers and his friends a powerful and influential group of men, and that the light sentence was the result of the jury's verdict.

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It took four and a quarter hours to get an agreement on the verdict. The jury, the point longest discussed being the charge of the lawyer, Sir Frederick Borden, for libel. The jury found for the plaintiff, Sir Frederick Borden, and awarded him \$100 or six months imprisonment with seven days in jail.

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JOURNALIST TELLS
OF HOME POLITICSLondon Daily Chronicle Representative
Says Budge Must Pass—He
Gives the Reasons.

Another indication of the absorbing interest which the British public is taking in young Canada, is shown in the daily publication in London of the London Daily Chronicle. The London Daily Chronicle is a weekly supplement to the London Daily Chronicle. The London Daily Chronicle is a weekly supplement to the London Daily Chronicle.

EXPOSITION OFFICIALS
GREATLY DISAPPOINTEDCharmers Butherford of Salt Lake
Central, Says Alberta Government
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National Exposition.

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AN ENDORSEMENT
FOR LLOYD GEORGENew Zealand Liberals Telegraph
His God-Speed in His Budget
Endorse.

Canadian Associated Press.
 London, October 16.—A Wellington dispatch says the Liberals of the New Zealand parliament are telegraphing David Lloyd George wishing him a hearty success in his budget. The condition of the people of Britain is such that the budget is of great importance.

CYCLONE AND HAIL
STORM IN THE SOUTHTennessee, Alabama and Georgia Suffer
Damage—Millions are Large
Injuring People and Destroying
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FAIR TRIAL NOW IMPOSSIBLE

Walter Blythe's Lawyers Demand
Change of Venue Because of Public
Opinion.

Toronto, Oct. 15.—Notice of motion was served upon the attorney general of Ontario today asking for a change of venue in the trial of Walter Blythe. The motion is based on the public opinion in the province.

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gregations and to forbid ecclesiastical teachers.

The bill will also provide a situation similar to that in Spain, where the subscription has been provided to establish a national police force, with that established by Ferrer in Barcelona. The troops guarding the Vatican and the two Spanish monarchs have been equipped on the spot. A meeting was held today in the Orto Artico to decide on the duration of the strike, which was called as a protest against the execution of Professor Ferrer.

General Strike in Naples. Naples, October 15.—All the workmen of Naples, except the employees of the street railway companies, took part today in the general strike, called to protest against the execution of Professor Ferrer. Three thousand of the strikers held a meeting and afterwards, paraded through the city. During the march they attacked a street car, but the police charged and dispersed them. A few of the men were wounded. Later the strikers rallied and rejected the monument erected to the memory of the martyrs of the Parthenon republic of 1793. Their first species were delivered to the strikers passed the monument with bare heads and went to the municipality building, with the intention of forcing the mayor to lower the flag to half mast. As he refused, the police charged and dispersed the demonstrators.

Fight at Half-Mast in Portugal. Lisbon, October 15.—The police today frustrated an attack by Ferrer sympathizers on the Spanish embassy. They approached the office and charged on the rioters and revolver shots were exchanged, though without causing injury to any one. The Spanish consulates throughout Portugal are guarded. At the headquarters of the Republic Clubs flags are at half-mast.

Monument of Virgin Overthrown. New York, N.Y., October 15.—A dispatch to the "Sun" from Rome says: "The last report from Rome does not confirm the report of the burning of the cathedral, but there has been vandalism in many of the churches and the ancient monumental statue of the Virgin has been overturned and smashed."

ANOTHER PANAMA CANAL.

Chilean Engineer Proposes Sea Level Waterway to Cost \$250,000,000.

Panama, Oct. 15.—Vivian Urrutia, a Chilean engineer, now in this city, says he has organized an expedition to construct a sea level waterway canal via the Atsira River. He says he is on his way to Columbia to negotiate the necessary concession. Under his plan it is a canal to be constructed in four years at a cost of \$250,000,000.

EMPIRE'S NEW BILL MONDAY.

After being dark for the latter part of the week, the Empire will re-open Monday with another high-class program. The predominating feature will be trained animal acts, but such as have not yet been presented to Edmonton theatre-goers. "Honey and Melton," two pointers, have been taught the fine points of the wrestling game, and will surprise every one who witnesses their performance. John Hoyle, a big husky colored comedian, has the points, as well as six other equine marvels, which do marvelous acts. A high diving monkey and the leaping greyhound do wonderful tricks. A big W. S. Harvey & Co. have a distinct aerobatic novelty, entitled "A two midgets down." The idea introduces some startling scenic effects, as well as exceptional aerobatic stunts. Jarvis, Mann and Juranda are sweet voiced singers, well received on the largest circuits. Swift and Casey, two black face comedians, give another good act. Alice Finkelson and the Empire orchestra, old favorites, will also appear.

This class of entertainment will be presented three evenings each week with the same high standard as in the past, with the balance of the week devoted to feature motion pictures.

WETASKIWIN CONVENTION.

Wetaskiwin, October 15.—Much interest is being shown in the Sunday school convention for Wetaskiwin district, which is being held here on Sunday and Monday, October 17th and 18th. The different committees have been actively engaged in a splendid program of most helpful and instructive addresses have been arranged. H. W. Kenny, secretary of the Sunday School Association of Alberta, is to be the main speaker at the services on Sunday, speaking in the Presbyterian Church in the morning; in the Baptist Church to Sunday school workers in the afternoon and in the Methodist Church in the evening. On Monday afternoon and evening the convention will hold its sessions in the Presbyterian Church. No doubt many delegates will be present from Ponoka, Camrose and Millet. A most enjoyable and profitable time is being had. One of the great results of this convention will be the increased interest in the provincial convention to be held at Edmonton during Thanksgiving week.

STRATHCONA NEWS

LOCALS.

Mrs. Hamilton-Norpeza, Manitowish, who has been visiting here for some time the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hamilton, leave today on return home.

The enumerators have concluded the compiling of the voters list in Strathcona in connection with the Municipal election. Nominations are called for in Wetaskiwin from 12 till 5 on Wednesday, October 20th.

The Sons of England are making arrangements to hold a social and dance in the Oddfellows Hall, Strathcona, on the evening of the first Tuesday in November. The lodge aims to make these the most enjoyable and profitable of the season and so they only charge a nominal fee of two shillings for admission. Last year there were 300 in attendance.

The people of Strathcona have heard with considerable dissatisfaction of the doubling of the fares on the Strathcona street car line, to go into effect next Monday night. They don't think the "traveling" public should be made to suffer because of the council not taking a vote on Sunday street cars." said one prominent Strathcona man and this view was endorsed by a number of others.

The evening services of Holy Trinity church during the winter months will start at seven o'clock instead of half past seven as heretofore. The new arrangement will go into effect for the first time tomorrow night. There will be a children's service to commence afterwards at three o'clock.

There will be harvest home services in Knox Presbyterian church tomorrow night and the attendance will be suitably decorated for the occasion. They will be offered made by the choir. As a result of the decrease in price of flour throughout the West the bakers of Strathcona have lowered the price of bread from 14 cents for a dollar to 12 cents. Four are now given for 20 cents, instead of three as before.

Smith Foster late of Edmonton, has taken the place of Ed. O'Donnell in Malone's drug store. Mr. O'Donnell having removed to Bayfield where he assumes the management of a hotel.

R. English lately with J. Garner & Co. has been appointed an official court stenographer in Edmonton. H. F. McKee of the same firm with Mrs. McKee have gone on a three weeks' trip to the New Westminster fair, Vancouver and other cities.

The contract for the excavation for Premier Rutherford's new residence on the river banks across the street from the arts building of the new university has been awarded to Smith and Radford, who are now digging the cellar for the university building. The Premier expects to have the foundation work completed this week.

Mrs. A. T. Mode has removed to Wetaskiwin where she joins her husband. The new chemical fire engine was tested yesterday in the presence of a representative of the manufacturers and Chief Davidson of Edmonton. It was pronounced satisfactory and taken over by the city.

Alvin H. Plunkadeau, takes the ground that the largest grant Strathcona should give to the high level bridge is \$27,500 and in return for this should receive concession from the street railway in one fare, etc. Discussing the subject it says as follows: "We are inclined to be-

lieve that almost everyone in Strathcona favors the traffic and electric railway docks on the C.P.R. bridge on the ground that every increase in the transportation facilities between the two cities is an advantage to both. The bridge site is not where it might be to do Strathcona the most good. A bridge centrally located between the cities would be of vastly greater service to this city than one so far west. However, there is no other in prospect at the present time and we believe it to be the city's duty to give a moderate amount of financial support to the C.P.R.'s proposition. Just what may be considered a moderate and reasonable amount of aid from this city is a question. It has been variously set at from \$25,000 to \$50,000. In a recent computation the Plunkadeau suggested \$27,500. We would have no quarrel with anyone over a few thousand more or less, but would think the maximum should be \$50,000 together with concession from the Street Railway and payment on the matter of interurban car fares. We believe that Strathcona will in time be reimbursed for her generosity by increased assessment and population and that thus the money will be well spent. The city of Edmonton has immensely more gain and we have almost nothing to pay. A very large proportion of the cost as indeed it is proposed there will be."

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LYDD-GEORGE'S BUDGET MUST PASS INTO LAW

If Mr. this Year, Then, Next, Says Mr. Gladstone—Labor Party, England, Declares Mr. Gladstone Believed Lords May Lay It on Table.

London, October 15.—Both in parliament and at the headquarters of the political organizations in Britain the preparations are being made for the general election, which is now regarded as imminent and inevitable. The main point of interest is: When can the general election take place? The committee stage of the budget bill ended on Wednesday night, and the House of Commons has adjourned until October 18. There is a great deal of talk left over for this report, and calling for many revisions not yet made. Another issue will be necessary before the third reading, and the third reading debate will necessarily be a long and spirited encounter, practically opening the election campaign.

The Lords' Choice.
A week, it is thought, will be long enough for the bill to spend in the House of Lords. The Lords have but three choices with regard to the measure. They may pass the bill, though this is regarded as extremely unlikely. They may reject the bill, which would be a direct challenge to the Commons, or they may lay it on the table and send down to the House of Commons a record resolution declaring that the proposals of the bill are as revolutionary in principle and intention that the House of Lords must withhold its assent until the will of the country has been ascertained.

The last is the course that will probably be pursued. Mr. Asquith has declared that "that way lies revolution." Mr. Gladstone has said that the reply to it would be an appeal to the country.

Glamorgan Council's Resolution.
Meanwhile meetings are being held by both parties in almost every corner of the United Kingdom.

Nothing more striking in the form of budget vindication has been pressing than the resolution passed by the Glamorgan County Council. It expressed satisfaction with the provisions of the finance bill, and hoping that the government would see every endeavor to pass it into law. The resolution was moved by Mr. Glamorgan Williams, of Perth, and there was only one dissentient. It is announced that the Conservative member had left before it was discussed.

Mr. Williams said he believed that when the country was passing through a great crisis, an important legal governing authority like the Glamorgan County Council ought to let the government know their opinion of both the government and its proposals. He hoped the Lords would not interfere in any way with the budget. If they did the country would have to say in the matter.

Approaching an Election.
In a speech at Clonfert, Gloucestershire, Mr. Herbert Gladstone admitted that a struggle was close at hand. "We are approaching obviously a general election," said the Home Secretary, "whether it comes at the end of this year, or next year, or the year after. I am not going to say when it will come, but by lapse of time it must come, comparatively soon, because we are now finishing our fourth year of office."

The whole vocabulary of the English language had been exhausted in dealing with the budget. None of the strong language used against it, however, was sought to be employed against the budget of Sir William Hamilton fifteen years ago.

Ten years hence Mr. Lloyd-George would be looked upon as the champion of the exchange who had discovered new sources of revenue for the defence of the country, and the raising to a higher and better level the social and industrial organizations of the people.

Hit All Round.
Mr. Gladstone added that he could talk impartially about the budget because he was hit by it. He was hit as a smoker, and because he was not a teetotaler. A great part of his humble income was derived from India. He paid income tax in India, which went to the support of the British Empire, and when the money came to England he paid income tax again.

By means of his salary he was brought under the super-tax. As he occupied a house in London under a long lease he came under the increment duty. So he was hit all round. He did not know what all the fuss was about in connection with the budget, and he thought that without injustice the government might have gone further. Relief in other cases had been given almost to a dangerous and reprehensible extent, and he honestly believed people were not entitled to grumble. (Cheers.)

Good Luck!

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CURES INDIGESTION

Speaking at a meeting in support of the budget at Torquay, Mr. Fred Moore gave a striking illustration of unearned increment at Dartmouth. He said there was a little piece of mud by the outcropping mud which was submerged when the tide came up, and on which no rafts were ever

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1909.

"The Strathmore and Bow Valley Standard" has been raised, to draw the attention of the world to the things and advantages of Strathmore and vicinity. May the "Standard" be stoutly upheld by the people whose interests it is intended to represent, and the winds of adversity deal gently with it.

The Winnipeg Tribune says: "Hon. Frank Oliver has done the right thing in deciding to supply seed grain to the settlers who were burned out in the prairie fire north of Red Deer last week."

"The settlers in question are recent arrivals in the country. The fire swept away all their possessions. The action of the Minister will add them very materially in getting a fresh start."

The Calgary board of trade and council in sending grain into the district to be sold at absolute cost shows a spirit worthy of emulation. There is nothing that will tend more to make a man a good citizen, than to have him feel that the government and his neighbors have a real practical interest in his welfare."

The City Council are to have an expert look into the operation of the city enterprises to see whether anything there is as it should be. The inquiry should be good. It is not apparently designed as a head-lifting expedition, but as a means of getting an independent and altogether unprejudiced view of the situation. This the rate-payers will no doubt welcome. It should make clear that in the opinion of one entitled to form an opinion, the city's enterprises are set on a proper basis and being operated in a proper manner; or that such is not the case. If the former be the verdict it will strengthen the public confidence in both the city policy and the way it is working out. If the latter judgment be the other way we cannot know it too soon. An outside opinion on such matters is well worth the expense. The \$4000 spent for the examination came from the Commissioner in charge of the utilities indicates a proper spirit in that quarter.

Broadsheets these days up the general business conditions. In Canada "all wholesale lines are busy and retail trade shows improvement. Dry goods continue active, and demand for footwear is especially brisk. In Iowa, steel and hardware a good business is doing at firm prices. Travelers' foreign-exchange complain that there has been some cutting of prices on western goods notwithstanding the advance in raw wool. The movement of wheat from northwestern points is very heavy. Thrashing is about finished in Manitoba and it is progressing favorably in Saskatchewan. The weather is ideal for plowing and there will be a large increase in acreage. Sales of farm lands on a large scale are a noteworthy feature, and American capitalists are the largest purchasers. In dislocation point to a heavy influx of immigrants from Europe next year. Collections range from fair to good. Business failures for the week ended with Thursday number 36, no compared with 22 last week over last year. Bank clearings for the last week for the week terminating with Thursday aggregated \$129,101,000, an increase of 22 per cent over last week and of 36 per cent over last year. In this whole list is only one adverse item, the increase in business failures over the corresponding week of last year. Failures, of course, vary greatly in number, being due to a multitude of causes, many of which are local. The statistics of these failures cannot be relied on as showing the general trend of things in the country. Taken altogether it is doubtful if our commercial conditions could bear a more favorable aspect than that depicted in this review.

"DRY THOSE TEARS."

Lamentation, even when affected, can hardly be supposed to be a very enjoyable performance. But when it is found that there has been no particular cause for the pretended grief the misery of the performance must be multiplied by reflections of its pleasant character. In this position certain Opposition newspapers are finding themselves at this time. For the past few weeks they have been crooning dolefully about the non-completion of the Government section of the National Transcontinental railway. At the prior junction and the head of the Lake. This, of course, prevented the road from handling any larger part of the western crop than it could turn over to the older lines at Winnipeg. It was remarkable to note how many editors who heretofore have shown no very great concern in the matter got suddenly alarmed lest this should leave the West in the throes of a grain blockade. The Mail and Empire led the way with characteristic inability to see either ahead or behind, and the rank and file joined in with something more than the readiness they usually show to follow that unreliable leader. The result was a complete reformation of the main argument. These same papers advanced year after year against the building of the new line. Then they told us it was not necessary, and would not be necessary in measurable time, if ever it might be all right to build new lines across the plains to gather up the crop, but the report was already large enough for the hopper, or could be made large enough very easily. All we had to do was to buy a section of the C. P. R. main line and double-track it and we had the grain forwarding question solved forever. Well, the C. P. R. is now double-tracked from the prairie to the Lake. But the burden of our lamenting friends during recent weeks has been the fear that the C. P. R. and C. N. R. would not be able to carry to the Lake the grain collected by the new road, together with the increased volume grain along their own systems. They speculated altogether the notion that the new road to the East was unnecessary, and never would be necessary. On the contrary, they found it to be necessary even now, presenting no story, so necessary that there was almost certain to be a hopeless blockade of seven grain because it was not permitted to the Lake. And for all the prospective consequences they duly told the Government to account. This "about face" was, indeed, instructive enough as showing the variable character of Opposition policy toward the extension of through shipping facilities. But the performance is climaxed by the fact that the lamentations have been needless, and the repudiation of the former position equally needless. There has been no grain blockade. The older lines have been able to handle the grain turned over by the new system. And now comes the announcement that the Government section of the new road is completed, and that if the older lines were not able to handle the traffic the new one could be brought into service straight through to the Lake. The position of our opponents is that after having completely reversed their argument of two or three years ago they find that the manoeuvre was profitable. After denying their assertions that calamity was impossible by declaring that calamity was unavoidable, they now find that no calamity has occurred. As prophesies they are both completely unfortunate and unfortunate in their inconsistency.

FIFTEEN KILLED IN TENNESSEE.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 15.—Fifteen persons are reported killed by the tornado of Sunday, Tenn. Major despatches tell of heavy storm damage in Georgia, Alabama and Southern Tennessee. Rain and hail accompanied the wind. The town of Denmark, Madison county, was destroyed by fire. There were three inches of hail at Hixson where the hail comes as big as oranges fell.

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W. R. ROBERTSON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Feb. 11th, 1909.

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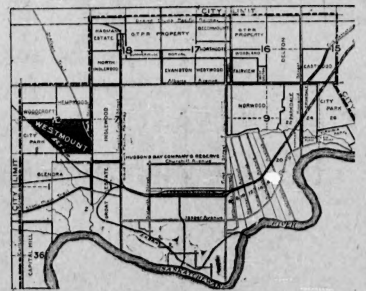
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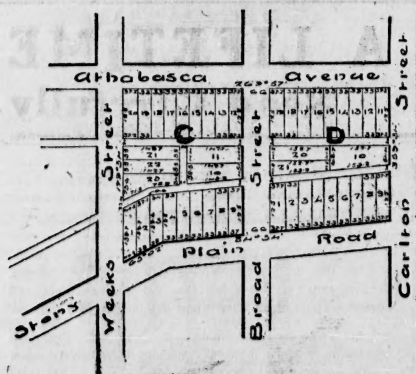
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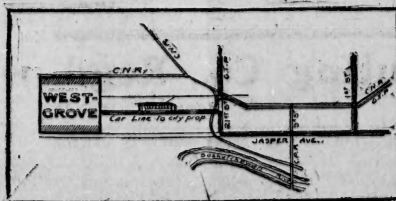
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AROUND THE CITY

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Work on the new water main running north on Second street has been completed from McKenzie Avenue through Newroad almost to the yards of the C.P.R. The part of the main from Victoria Avenue along Second street to McKenzie Avenue, which was delayed owing to lack of fittings for Jasper Avenue crossing, will be proceeded with in the course of a few days.

WILL PROSECUTE OFFENDERS.

The city authorities will take action against persons who place notices in newspapers which are liable to take fire. During the past two or three weeks there have been a number of cases, where fire have been started from this cause and but for the early reports to the fire department might have caused serious damage. The city by-law specifies that notices must be placed in tin boxes or other non-combustible receptacles and this provision is to be enforced.

OPENING MEN'S READING ROOMS.

The formal opening of the men's reading and recreation rooms at the First Baptist Church will be held at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, October 18th. The various committees are working hard to have everything in readiness for the opening and give promise of a good time to those who attend. The chair will be taken by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, Dr. Brindley of the University of Alberta, will give an address on "The Reading of

Books." A social hour will be spent at the close. Light refreshments will be served. A hearty invitation is extended to all men.

ROBERTS STOCK COMPANY.

The Orpheum will reopen under entirely new management on Monday evening, October 18th. Mr. Roberts, of the Roberts Stock Company, has leased the theatre for the purpose of producing a number of better-class melodramas and comedies the first of which will be "Hearts of Gold." The management desires to call attention to the fact that the Orpheum is particularly well heated, its patrons, therefore, can enjoy the excellent entertainment provided, no matter what temperature the thermometer is registering out of doors.

SOCIAL IN McDUGGALL CHURCH.

The young people of McDougall Methodist Church, with the students of Alberta College and other educational institutions, held a very enjoyable social in the church last evening. There were upwards of 300 present. The first part of the entertainment took the form of a "mum" social, after which a mock trial was conducted. With Judge Newell presiding and Messrs. McQuaid and Morrison the attorneys. A popular young milliner of the city was arraigned on a charge of selling large hats, thus obstructing the view of the congregation in church and causing serious injury to some of those who were endeavoring to see around the huge headgear.

LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

The regular quarterly meeting of

the Local Council of Women was held on Monday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Mrs. Cautley, the president, presiding. A large number of members of affiliated societies were in attendance, and after the business meeting refreshments were served.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$30.93 to the council's credit. An auditor was appointed in the person of Mrs. Helge, and a few affiliated societies which had not yet paid the \$2 fee for 1920, were asked to do so as soon as possible. The Lady Grey Nursing Scheme for country places received the endorsement of the whole Council, when there was carried a motion by Mrs. Saunders to the effect that the Edmonton Local Council of Women should give any assistance possible to the Victorian Order of Nurses in providing a nurse for the country within a reasonable distance of Edmonton.

The committee appointed to carry on this work consisted of Mrs. Saunders (convener), Mrs. J. D. Hyndman, Mrs. Harrow, Mrs. Bellamy, Mrs. Chadwick and Mrs. Wells, the committee having further power to add to their numbers.

An interesting and important report was given during the meeting by Mrs. Knill, convener of the District Nurses Committee, showed that this committee had so far made progress since its origin at the June meeting, that \$48.75 had been raised for the fund, and as there is every hope of raising what more will be required, arrangements are being made to secure a nurse within the next three weeks. The Edmonton Nurses Association have contributed generously to the fund.

This committee is now composed of Mrs. Knill, Mrs. A. C. Fraser, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. Spratt, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Slocock, Mrs. Dickins and Mrs. Pearson.

Before the meeting adjourned Mrs. Cautley and Mrs. Bellamy spoke with conviction and at length upon the need of providing a club for lonely girls and newcomers employed in the city.

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SHEEP EMBARGO REMOVED.

Ottawa, October 15.—Acting upon the representations made by the Minister of Agriculture through Dr. J. G. Rutherford, veterinary director general of Canada, the United States government have agreed to remove the

thirty days' embargo on sheep entering the United States for breeding purposes. The embargo has been in force since June of last year. As a result, Canadian sheep intended for breeding purposes can now enter the United States on inspecting at the boundary, as formerly provided they of Animal Industry.

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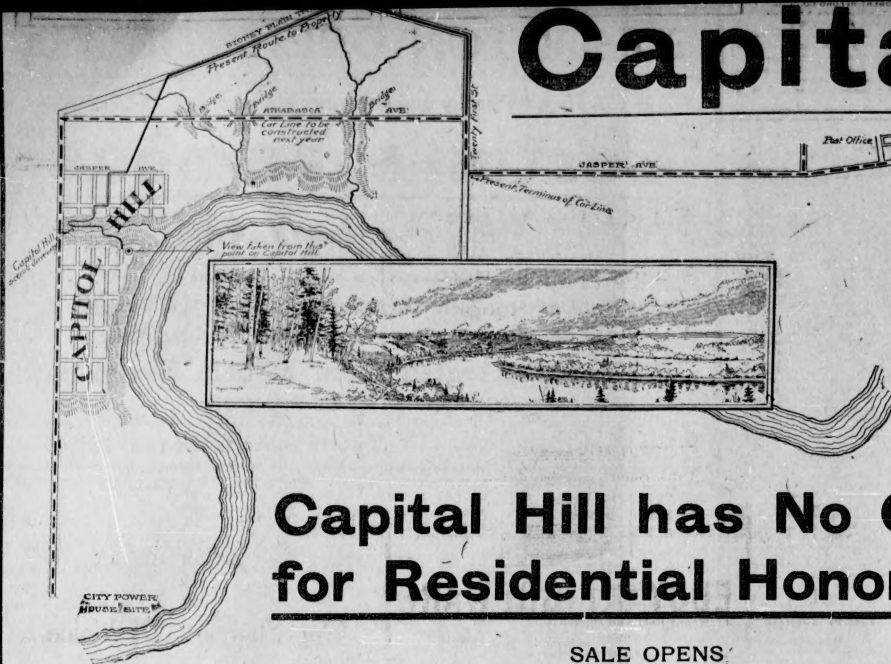
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